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For: IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE FOR)
PROCESSING IMAGES WHICH)
ARE RECORDED IN A)
RECORDING MEDIUM AND A)
METHOD THEREOF)

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This amendment responds to the Office Action dated March 27, 2003 (Paper No.

11). Please amend the above noted application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claims 14 and 17 as follows:

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14. (Twice Amended) An image processing system for processing images which are recorded in a recording medium, comprising:
a transfer circuit which transfers images recorded in a first recording medium, into a second recording medium differing from the first recording medium;